

GOSSIP

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

TUESDAY—
Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit P. Wilder entertain.

WEDNESDAY—
Miss Gertrude Ripley a hostess.
Mrs. W. R. Castle a hostess of the week.

THURSDAY—
Mrs. James B. Houston entertains.

FRIDAY—
Mrs. Renton Hind "at home."
Country Club dance.
University Club high jinks.

SATURDAY—
Dance at Haleiwa.
Engagement announced.

OTHER INTERESTING ITEMS—
Something about Mrs. Norman Galt.
Wedding on Kauai.
Rally at Punalou.
Composer of opera in Honolulu.
Church circles meet.
Fiances of Lieut. Hugh Brown much feted.

"Since the announcement of her engagement to Lieut. Hugh Brown, U. S. N., Mrs. Estelle Johnson Ryan has been engulfed with prenuptial attentions, all her friends being anxious to extend some entertainment in her honor.

"Miss Ruth Raymond presided over a well-arranged tea at the Alexandria for this popular bride-elect on Wednesday afternoon, covers being placed for Mrs. Ryan, Miss Isabelle Wintrose, Mrs. Jack Somers, Mrs. John P. Curran, Miss Agnes Golden and Mrs. S. S. Raymond. Rich-toned dahlias in a golden basket centered the tea table, and corsages were at each name card.

"Mrs. Morris also complimented Mrs. Ryan the past week, having for her guests Miss Golden, Miss Isabelle Wintrose, Mrs. Jack Curran, Miss Ruth Raymond, Miss Katharine Torrance, Miss Virginia Walsh, Mrs. Stanley Smith, Miss Marjorie Freeman, Miss Agnes McManus, Mrs. Jack Somers and one or two others.

"Yesterday Miss Golden was hostess to a bevy of friends for the fair bride-to-be, and the honoree's mother, Mrs. Benjamin Johnson of 2211 Hobart boulevard, is planning a high tea for the afternoon for Saturday.

"Mrs. Thomas M. O'Leary of Wilshire and Kingsley drive will have a luncheon party Friday for Mrs. Ryan to which 12 guests are bidden. The decorations are to be in gorgeous pink roses and lilies of the valley.

"The past week offered no prettier compliment to this favored daughter than Mrs. Jack Somers' smart luncheon, attended by Mrs. Jack Somers,

Mrs. LeRoy Stanton, Miss Wintrose, Miss Agnes Golden and Miss Ruth Raymond.

"Mrs. Ryan's wedding party will be composed of Mrs. Jack Somers, matron of honor; Miss Isabelle Wintrose and Miss Agnes Golden, bridesmaids; little Dorothy Johnson and Katherine Jane Moore, flower maidens.

"The wedding will be an important event of this month."

Delicatessen Sale Worth Patronizing.

The Woman's Guild of St. Andrew's Cathedral will hold its annual sale of delicatessen and fancy goods at the parish house on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, and it is hoped that all will take advantage of the low prices and good, home-made cooking. The demand for pies has always exceeded the supply, but this year there will be enough for all.

The following is a list of the tables and committees:

Chairman—Mrs. Archibald Young.

Succeeded since her departure for the coast by Mrs. Lawrence Judd.

Meats and fowl table—Mrs. H. M. von Holt and Mrs. Melanphy.

Cakes—Mrs. Gooding Field, Mrs. Tom Wall and Mrs. James Dougherty.

Bread—Mrs. Kilbourne.

Rolls—Mrs. John Guld.

Pies—Mrs. Jared Smith, Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Crane and Mrs. Emory.

Pickles and jelly—Mrs. Matheson and Mrs. Caldwell.

Ice cream and cornucopias—Mrs. Thomas Shary.

Candy—The Junior Auxiliary.

Decorations—Mrs. Theo. Hoffman.

Tables—Mrs. Folsom.

Publicity—Mrs. Lawrence Judd.

Tea, sandwiches and cakes will be



Miss Eleanor Bissell, charming daughter of Mrs. M. J. Bissell, who with her mother is spending the winter in Honolulu.

served during the afternoon by Mrs. Harry and Mrs. Covell. Mrs. Putt and Mrs. Ault and Mrs. Soper have on their table a good number of fancy articles at very low prices suitable for Christmas gifts.

Mrs. James B. Houston

a Luncheon Hostess.

Mrs. James B. Houston was hostess at a prettily appointed luncheon at her home on Nuuanu street on Thursday.

Mrs. Houston is the wife of Lieut.-col. Houston and is one of the most popular matrons of the service set.

A dainty scheme was used in decoration of the table at which covers were laid for Mrs. Fauntleroy.

Miss Catherine Schmidt, Miss Betty Case, Mrs. Katherine M. Yates, Mrs. Beall and the hostess.

Mrs. W. R. Castle Entertains.

Mrs. W. R. Castle was hostess on Wednesday at a luncheon com-

menting her cousin, Mrs. Lovell, who

is visiting here. Mrs. Lovell was here several years ago as the popular Miss Hathaway, who was extensively entertained. Cut flowers interspersed with maidenhair fern were arranged gracefully in the center of the table.

Among those present were Mrs. Lovell, Mrs. Joseph A. Gilman, Mrs. Francis Day, Mrs. Walter Frear, Mrs. George Sherman, Mrs. Frederick Lowrey, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Alonzo Gartley, Mrs. Theodore Richards and Mrs. Castle.

Miss Gertrude Ripley Entertains.

Miss Gertrude Ripley entertained informally at dinner on Wednesday evening at the Ripley home on Wil-

helmina place. The occasion was Mr. Leslie Thompson's birthday. During the dinner witty "dinner-grams" were served, causing much merriment. Covers were laid for Miss Mildred Chapin, Miss Ripley, Mr. Leslie Thompson, Mr. Edwin Ideler and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ripley.

Mrs. Charles A. Ragan, wife of M. Charles, Jr., is also shown in the photograph.

Dance at the Country Club.

One of the most brilliant of the week's affairs was the dance which the members of the Oahu Country Club entertained last night. The moon was at its height and cast a silvery glow over the velvet green of the golf links surrounding the house. The club itself was prettily decorated with quantities of palms and ferns and a myriad of vari-colored electric lights.

In spite of the fact that a number of the members were taking part in the big football rally at the University Club there was a large gathering at the dance and the janals were well crowded for the dancing.

Hawaiian music was played and the affair was considered one of the most successful ever given by the club. Some among those noticed were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Armstrong, Mr. Charles Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dowsett, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton, Miss Florence Hoffman, Mrs. James Dougherty, Miss Marion Chapin, Miss Ruth McChesney, Miss Hazel Buckland, Miss Betty Case, Miss Hilda von Holt, Miss Mary von Holt, Miss Angus, Miss Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mist, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cartwright, Jr., Miss Edith Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilder, Miss Marguerite Ashford, Mrs. Driver, W. L. Warren, Guy Buttolph, Dr. Johnson, Lieut. G. R. O'Connor and others.

Church Circles Meet.

Thursday afternoon marked the second meeting of most of the neighborhood acquaintance circles of Central Union Woman's Society, and the scheme, so successfully launched in October, received fresh impetus this month when several of the circles presented new members to their group.

Circle No. 9, of which Mrs. J. T. Warren is leader, was most charmingly entertained by Miss Annie Hustace and Mrs. J. L. McLean at the hospitable home of the former on Beretania street, the guests assembling at 2 o'clock ready for work. Mrs. Warren's first plan for her circle was to sew rags for blue and white rugs similar to those made famous by the women workers of old Deerfield, Massachusetts, which are purchased by people of wealth throughout the East and disappear from the quaint little workshops with the rapidity usually credited to the proverbial hotcake.

The second meeting of Circle 9 completed the sewing of the rags for the first rug, and it is hoped to have the finished product ready for exhibition at the December meeting. Let making was also undertaken by this group and the women hope to dispose of these rugs or to take orders for new ones at carnival time, to add to the

fund which at the end of the year will be turned over to the mother society to be used for some of the altruistic work carried on by the women of the church.

During the afternoon Mrs. Warren read a letter from her aunt, Mrs. Roy H. Pinney of Pasadena, California, who is one of the leaders in the group to which Mrs. Warren belonged, and Mrs. Pinney wrote of the various interesting things done by the women of the various circles in the First Baptist church in her city where the circle idea has proven most successful for the past 10 years.

At the close of the afternoon Miss Hustace and Mrs. McLean served ice cream and cake. Miss Lishman asked the privilege of being the next hostess for the December meeting, which will take place the afternoon of December 16. The leader announced that because of the near approach of Christmas the members would be allowed to bring their own needlework next month in case they had Christmas gifts to complete. For those who are not provided with work of their own Miss Hustace will bring the supply of lei materials which she generously donated to the circle, and work on the leis will be continued. A pink and white boudoir rug is also to be made by the circle and anyone having pink or white scraps of any cotton material is asked to give them to some member of Circle 9 or send them to the home of Mrs. Warren, corner of Keolu and Lunalilo, or to Miss Lishman, 1415 Keolu street.

Among the new members welcomed to the circle this week were Mrs. M. A. Masden of Green street, Mrs. Lillian Duggan, Mrs. J. Farnsworth of Kinau street, Mrs. Flora Girvin and Mrs. C. B. Gage. Other members present included: Mesdames Gribble, Creighton, Robert Grieve, J. E. Higgins, A. A. Hobson, Tschudi, Lloyd Killam, Gardner Wilkins, Roberts, Percy M. Pond, T. W. De Fries, Elisha S. Andrews, J. L. McLean, J. T. Warren, and the Misses Lishman, Bills and Hustace.

It is a rule of each circle that no hostess may offer more than two things for refreshments, and refreshments may be omitted at the discretion of any hostess. At the December meeting a system of rotary calling is to be presented to Circle 9 for discussion and if approved by the members will be inaugurated after the holidays.

Mrs. Norman Galt Busy Selecting Her Trousseau.

The shops in Washington, D. C., Baltimore and even New York have been turned upside down by the prospects of a wedding in White House circles. The windows in the various shopping houses are filled with trousseau selections, many of which are of Bolling green, which is said to be

the chosen color of the president's fiancée.

Mrs. Galt is spending every moment of her time with the plans and preparations for her wedding, and a distinctive feature of her trousseau is that it is more "ready made" than "made to order." This fact seems to indicate that the wedding is going to take place in the near future say those who are deeply interested in the approaching nuptials.

Mrs. Galt has worn black for nearly eight years, and seems loath to appear in anything very brilliant. Many of the gowns she has ordered as a part of her trousseau are black or of black and white combinations, though a few of them are green, one or two of brown and an occasional frock or coat of dark blue has found its way into the wedding wardrobe.

It is known that a very handsome gown of pale orchid silk ornamented with quantities of silver lace has been delivered to the bride-elect, and as it is known that the orchid is Mrs. Galt's favorite flower it is thought that this wonderful creation is to be the wedding gown.

Another feature in the selection of Mrs. Galt's wedding outfit and one which has attracted no little attention is the selection of her footwear. Her shoes are invariably modest, but fastidious, for it is said that if she has one pride in the world it is her feet. She has shoes to match each costume, but there is nothing conspicuous in any of them except their perfect fit. Footwear studded with brilliants she has always shunned.

The hurried selection of her trousseau and the repeated order that the chrysanthemums and lilies in the White House gardens be hurried seems to indicate that the wedding will take place very soon. Particular attention is being given to the famous collection of orchids, for it is from this part of the garden that the bridal bouquet is to be selected.

The president has given particular attention to the fancy his fiancée has for orchids and the handsome solitaire he gave her at the time of their engagement was set in an orchid of platinum, and each morning a messenger has been despatched to Mrs. Galt's home with a corsage of the delicate blossoms.

Fiancee of Lieut. Hugh Brown Much Feted.

Honoluluans who knew Lieut. Hugh Brown of the U. S. S. Maryland, and particularly those who were present at the dinner at which he told of his engagement to Mrs. Estelle Johnson Ryan, will be interested in the accounts of the functions which have been given in honor of the fair bride-elect.

The Los Angeles Examiner says:

NEW BLOUSES HAVE ARRIVED

Women who always like the spice of being a bit ahead of the fashion will be charmed with these lovely new styles. Many of the blouses show a military effect in cut of collar and braided front—many others have low collars that sweep out into slender points and close with a knotted silk tie. Materials are the sheerest of diaphanous qualities—some plain—some embroidered—new Radium Laces, Chiffons Crepe de Chines, Georgettees, Crepe, all colors, white, pink, navy, green etc., set off with rich velvets, gold and silver laces; undoubtedly the handsomest collection of fancy blouses we have ever shown. Now on display. Prices from

\$3.49 to \$18.50

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